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By Facsimile: 212-805-7920Honorable Shira A. Scheindlin
United States District Court
500 Pearl Street
New York, New York 10007Re: United States v. Felix Tayarez
07 Cr. 532 (SAS)

Dear Judge Scheindlin:

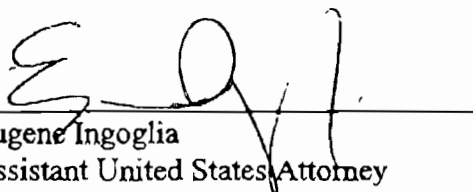
The Government writes to respectfully request, on behalf of both parties, that the next conference in the above-referenced matter be re-scheduled from September 19, 2008 to a date convenient for the Court after the third week of October 2008, if possible, so that the parties can continue discussions concerning the possibility of a disposition before trial.

The Government respectfully requests that time be excluded for purposes of the Speedy Trial Act between September 19, 2008 and the new conference date. This delay will permit the Government and the defense to continue discussions concerning the possibility of a disposition before trial, which seem to be promising. The Government makes this request with the consent of counsel for the defendant.

Very truly yours,

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